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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: S. Fang
TAKASHI KENMOKU ET AL.	)	
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	:	Confirmation No. 4088
Int'l Application No. PCT/JP2005/010996	)	
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Filed: June 9, 2005	)	
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For: POLYHYDROXYALKANOIC	)	
ACID HAVING VINYL, ESTER,	:	
CARBOXYL OR SULFONIC	)	
ACID GROUP AND PRODUCING :	:	
METHOD THEREFOR	)	February 26, 2009

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2009, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.